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LT. GOVERNOR NORTON'S SCHEDULE March 7-12, 2005

DENVER – Lieutenant Governor Jane Norton will attend the following events:

MONDAY, MARCH 7

1:30 p.m. The Fitzsimons State Veterans Nursing Home Accountability Committee, Fitzsimons State Veterans Nursing Home, 1919 Quentin Street, Aurora

Norton, named chair of the committee through Executive Order by Governor Bill Owens, will conduct the fourth meeting of the committee. The committee was created in November 2004 to oversee the continued improvement of conditions at the Colorado State Veterans Nursing Home at Fitzsimons.

TUESDAY, MARCH 8

2:45 p.m. Governor's Advisory Council for Persons with Disabilities, The Legal Center with Disabilities and Older Persons, 455 Sherman Street, Denver

Norton will receive an award from the Council for her work with the mentor programs for persons with disabilities.

5:30 p.m. Colorado Sports Hall of Fame Induction Banquet, Marriott City Center, 1701 California Street, Denver

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9

8:30 a.m. Governor's Commission on Community Service Commissioners Retreat, Grant Humphries Mansion, 770 Pennsylvania Avenue, Denver

Norton, with oversight of the Commission, will offer welcoming remarks and meet with Commissioners.

11:45 a.m. Aurora State of the City Address, Heather Ridge Country Club, 13521 East Iliff Street, Aurora

THURSDAY, MARCH 10

11:30 a.m. Whiz Kids Tutoring "Stars of Future" Fundraising Luncheon, Hyatt Regency DTC Grand Ballroom, 7800 East Tufts Avenue, Englewood

Norton, as Colorado's lead on mentoring and community service initiatives, will offer a keynote address on the positive impact mentoring can make in a community and the importance of volunteerism.

2:15 p.m. Meeting with Leadership Leadville, Office of the Lieutenant Governor, Colorado State Capitol, Room 130, Denver

Norton will meet with the 12 members selected each year focused on community leadership and initiatives that strengthen their community and help citizens in Leadville, Colorado.

FRIDAY, MARCH 11

11:30 a.m. 10th Annual Colorado Association of Nonprofit Organizations Awards Week Luncheon, Adams Mark Hotel Plaza Ballroom, 1550 Court Place, Denver

As Colorado's lead on volunteerism and community service, Norton will offer remarks on the positive impact the nonprofit community has on our State.

SATURDAY, MARCH 12

6:00 p.m. 11th Annual Pillars of the Community Gala, Adams Mark Hotel, 1550 Court Place, Denver

Jane Norton was sworn in as Colorado's 46th Lieutenant Governor on January 13, 2003. Her responsibilities include serving as the chair of the Colorado Commission of Indian Affairs; acting as point person for the Owens Administration on health insurance reform; strengthening families by promoting adoption, early childhood care and education efforts/initiatives, mentoring and volunteerism; and serving as Colorado's delegate to the Aerospace States Association and chair of the Colorado Space Coalition.

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